



## Ralph Jackson, Jr.

February 6, 1955 - December 10, 2014

Ralph Jackson, Jr., 59, of Fort Payne passed away Wednesday, December 10, 2014 at his home. He was a member of First Presbyterian Church where he served as an Elder. Ralph was a tireless champion for the Relay for Life event. After his retirement from Earthgrains, he began to work for Ferguson Enterprises. While at Ferguson, he was instrumental in coordinating an annual softball tournament fundraiser dedicated to the local Relay for Life. A lover of animals, animal rescue was close to his heart and his home was a shelter for many. Ralph was an avid Georgia Bulldog fan. His love for his family was evident and he held the high honor of being the “fun uncle”, doting on his beloved nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be 12 noon Saturday at Wilson Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Jerry Davis and Rev. John Brock officiating. Burial will follow in Glenwood Cemetery. The family will receive friends Friday from 5 until 8 p.m. The family is accepting flowers or contributions may be made to First Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 680184, Fort Payne, AL 35968.

He is survived by his wife, Janice Chambers Jackson; mother, Marcia Jackson; brothers and sisters-in-law, Charles and Ellen Jackson and Michael and Elizabeth Jackson; sisters and brothers-in-law, Cyndi and Ron Fowler and Elaine and Richard Bird; his family by marriage, Steven and Martha Chambers, Jim and Kristi Chambers, and Karen and Jim Dalton; beloved

nieces and nephews, Lisa, Joshua, Justin, Amy, Chris, Jim, Jordan, David, John, and Alexis; and great-nieces and nephew, Libby, Ella, Molly, and Oliver.

He was preceded in death by his father, Dewey Ralph Jackson, Sr.

Wilson Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of arrangements

# Cemetery Details

## Glenwood Cemetery

1002 Grand Avenue SW  
Fort Payne, AL 35967

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **12**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Wilson Funeral Home  
3801 Gault Ave. N  
Fort Payne, AL 35967

## Funeral Service

DEC **13**. 12:00 AM (CT)

Wilson Funeral Home Chapel  
3801 Gault Avenue North  
Fort Payne, AL 35967  
(256) 845-9150  
wilsonfuneralhome@bellsouth.net  
<http://www.wilsonfhinc.com>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ralph Jackson, Jr.*

January 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *Let It Snow was purchased for the family of Ralph Jackson, Jr..*



December 13, 2014 at 08:08 AM



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December 12, 2014 at 04:32 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. I worked with Ralph at Sara Lee/Earthgrains. He will be missed.*

*Janet Lust Berry*

**Janet Lusk Berry** - December 12, 2014 at 10:23 AM

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“ Janice,

*I am so sorry to hear about Ralph's passing. It was a true pleasure to work with Ralph threw out the years on the Relay for Life Softball Tournaments. He would always come in to the Complex sing and would have a big smile on his face. The community has lost a true asset but heaven has gained an angel. Please know that you and your family is in our thoughts and prayers. God Bless*  
*Anita Shankles*

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**Anita Shankles** - December 11, 2014 at 12:49 PM

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*Janice, Ralph was one of the nicest guys I knew at Towers High School. He was a dear friend to so many, and would do anything in the world to help anyone in need. Ralph and I were teamed-up together by our Science Teacher, and had to come up with a really cool project to present to the Science Class about "Gravity." Wouldn't you know it, our project ended up about baseball, except being the gentle-man Ralph was, he let me use "my soft-ball" instead of "his baseball!" We got an "A" for our project, all due to Ralph's creativity!!! That's the kind of "man, that boy" turned out to be. Thank you GOD for my friendship I had with this wonderful man Janice married. God bless you and your family today, and always. In Memory of a "really cool Baseball lovin' MAN."*

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**Debbie Jones** - December 13, 2014 at 08:21 AM